PUBLIC NOTICE

Public Comment Sought on the North Dakota Department of Human Services' Initial Statewide Transition Plan to align services for people receiving Medicaid waiver services with the Home and Community Based Services Rule issued by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

The North Dakota Department of Human Services is seeking public comment on amending the Statewide Transition Plan as the Centers for Medicaid & Services (CMS) has requested additional information for North Dakota to obtain final approval. Proposed changes are highlighted in the revised plan.

This draft Initial Statewide Transition Plan is open for comment for the next 30 days.

Comments and public input on the proposed changes will be accepted from Friday, September 28, 2018, through Sunday, October 28, 2018, in the following ways:

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A copy of the Initial Statewide Transition Plan is available online at:

www.nd.gov/dhs/services/disabilities/dd-hcbs.html

or can be obtained by contacting the division.

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